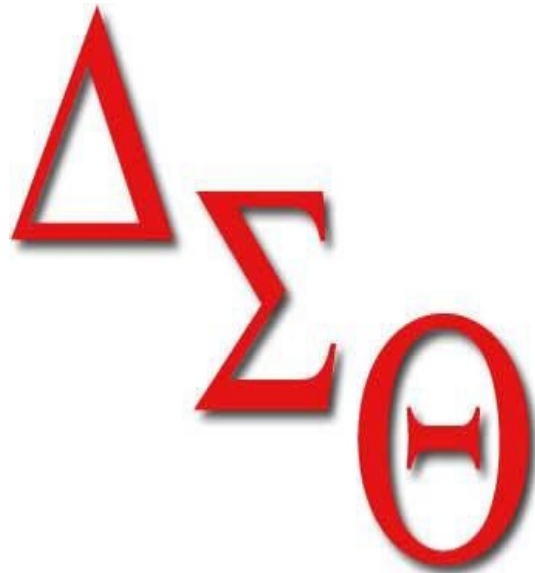


Tuscaloosa Alumnae Chapter
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated



Scholarship Application

****ALL MATERIALS MUST BE RECEIVED BY:****

March 1, 2023

Sorority History

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated was founded in 1913 by 22 students at Howard University. These young women wanted to use their collective strength to promote academic excellence; provide scholarships; provide support to the underserved; educate and stimulate participation in the establishment of positive public policy; highlight issues; and provide solutions for problems in their communities.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated is a private, non-profit organization whose purpose is to aid and support through established programs in local communities throughout the world. A sisterhood of more than 300,000 predominately Black college-educated women, the Sorority currently has over 900 chapters located in the United States, England, Japan (Tokyo and Okinawa), Germany, the Virgin Islands, Bermuda, the Bahamas, the Republic of Korea, the Arabian Gulf and Southern Africa.

Delta Delta Sigma Chapter, now *Tuscaloosa Alumnae Chapter*, was organized in March 1949 by Clemmie Webber of South Carolina who was the Southeastern Regional Director. In May of 1950, Delta Delta Sigma Chapter was chartered. There are currently 173 chapter members.

Scholarships

- **Live Your Dream Scholarship (High School Scholarship)**: African American graduating senior in the Tuscaloosa City or Tuscaloosa County school system with at least a 2.50 GPA. Qualified applicants will be contacted by the Scholarship Team for a contactless interview. The scholarship will be disbursed in full upon **receipt of full-time enrollment verification at a four-year accredited institution**. This is a non-renewable need-based scholarship.
- **Emerging Educator Scholarship (Teacher Education Scholarship)**: African American full-time rising junior or senior with at least a 2.75 GPA, admitted to Teacher Education Program (TEP) at Stillman College or the University of Alabama. **Applicant must submit statement from the institution verifying admission to TEP**. Priority is given to high school graduates of the Tuscaloosa City or Tuscaloosa County school systems and is based upon financial need. Qualified applicants will be contacted by the Scholarship Team for a contactless interview. The scholarship will be disbursed in full upon **receipt of fulltime enrollment verification**. This is a non-renewable need-based scholarship.

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Please **type** or **print** using **black** ink.

Disclaimer: If at any time during the application process it is determined that false information has been provided the application will not be considered.

Name: _____
Last *First* *Middle*

Address: _____

City, Zip Code: _____

Student Phone: _____ Student Email: _____

Do you have a family member that is a member of Tuscaloosa Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority? Yes No

If so, who? _____

Phone: _____

College or High School: _____

GPA: _____ SAT/ACT Score (HS applicants only): _____

The unweighted GPA will be used to determine eligibility. The GPA will not be recalculated or rounded.

Major (College applicants only): _____

Honors/Awards: _____

Extra-curricular Activities: _____

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Scholarship.TuscAlum@gmail.com

Applicant Name: _____

High School/College Name: _____

Statement of Financial Need Narrative

In your own words, type a double-spaced narrative (maximum of 500 words) stating your college and career goals. Please explain any financial need or hardship that you may face and how receiving this scholarship will allow you to further your education.

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Scholarship Applicant Recommendation

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Name of Applicant: _____

The above-named student is applying for either a Delta High School Scholarship in the amount of \$2,000 or the Teacher Education Scholarship in the amount of \$2,000 provided by the Tuscaloosa Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. The information you provide will aid in the selection process.

Please complete, scan, and email the recommendation form to Scholarship.TuscAlum@gmail.com.

All information is kept confidential. Your thoughtfulness and care in providing this requested information is sincerely appreciated.

Name/Title: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email _____

Please rate the applicant's character categorized below by placing an 'X' in the appropriate field below. Five (5) is the highest; one (1) is the lowest.

Character	1	2	3	4	5
Work Ethic					
Initiative					
Dependability					
Honesty					
Leadership					
Teamwork					
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APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Materials needed for a complete scholarship application:

- ✓ Completed application
- ✓ Financial need narrative
- ✓ One recommendation form completed by a high school or college academic counselor/advisor
- ✓ One recommendation form completed by a current or former teacher/professor, employer or community leader*
- ✓ High School applicants must provide ACT/SAT score (shown on official high school transcript is acceptable*)
- ✓ Official transcript
- ✓ ALL materials must be received in ONE envelope if mailed

*Recommendations by family members are not acceptable.

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March 1, 2023

No Exceptions

Mail to:

Tuscaloosa Alumnae Chapter
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Attention: Scholarship Team
Post Office Box 2623
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35403

OR

Email to:

Scholarship.TuscAlum@gmail.com
Subject line: dst2023 Scholarship (First Name, Last Name)